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Chief of Station, Karlsruhe

CAUTERY-10 - Recruitment

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1. A check with CAUTERY-1 revealed that we were incorrect in reporting to you that CAUTERY-3 is unaware of the fact that CAUTERY-2 and 10 have met. What actually transpired was this: CAUTERY-3 at a meeting with CAUTERY-2, casually remarked that he had a rendezvous with CAUTERY-10 that same morning. Would CAUTERY-2 care to come along and meet her? CAUTERY-2 did care and was introduced to CAUTERY-10 as Herr HANSEN, an old war-time buddy of CAUTERY-3. Unbeknownst to CAUTERY-3, a date was arranged between CAUTERY-2 and 10. To the best of our knowledge, CAUTERY-3 is unaware of the fact that subsequent to that first casual meeting, further meetings with CAUTERY-1 and 2 have taken place. CAUTERY-10 has been enjoined not to talk to CAUTERY-3 about this and we have reason for believing that she abides by this. On the other hand, the growing realization that CAUTERY-1 and 2 are representing intelligence interests is bound to reveal to her sooner or later that CAUTERY-3 is tied up in some intelligence scheme. However, CAUTERY-1 and 2 consider it quite immaterial whether CAUTERY-10 is aware of CAUTERY-3's position in that respect, as long as the reverse does not take place.

2. Inasmuch as the personal relationship between CAUTERY-2 and 10 has been firming up to a considerable degree, the CAUTERIES are seriously considering turning the case control over to CAUTERY-2. This of course would involve blowing their original legend to the effect that CAUTERY-1 is the interested party and CAUTERY-2 a mere innocent bystander.

3. While no definite assignment has as yet been worked out, it has been decided to test CAUTERY-10 on specific REEBIRD assignments involving the recruitment and operation of a chain of women in the Eastern Zone.

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2-FDM
1-COS
1-MOB
1-SRFG (via FOB)
1-BOB

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